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Discus Dental Impressions, Inc., a California corporation having a place of business at 8550 Higuera Street, Culver City, California 90232, represents: (a) that it is the assignee of the entire interest in U.S. patent Application No.10/735,050, filed December 12, 2003, and entitled ULTRASONIC DENTAL HANDPIECE HAVING A ROTATABLE HEAD, by virtue of the assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at reel 016062, frame 0330; and (b) that it is the assignee of the entire interest in U.S. Patent No. 7,044,736, by virtue of the assignment recorded at reel 015915, frame 0652.

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